

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of : Roberts, Timothy
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For : Customer Billing in a Communications Network
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PETITION FOR A FURTHER EXTENSION OF TIME

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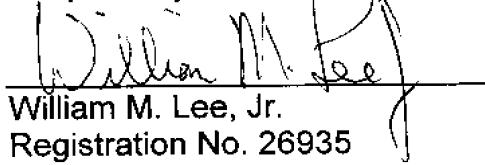
Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136, the applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of a third month to respond to the Office Action of October 7, 2008. Response will therefore be timely if filed with the Patent and Trademark Office no later than April 7, 2009.

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.17, the required fee of \$620.00 should be deducted from Deposit Account No. 14-1315.

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Respectfully submitted,



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